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NAME OF BROKER-DEALER:				
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NAME AND TELEPHONE NUMBER OF PERSON TO CONTACT IN REGARD TO THIS REPORT James W. Santori		(914) 694-5800 (Area Code Telephone No.)		
В. 2	ACCOUNTANT IDENTIF	FICATION		
INDEPENDENT PUBLIC ACCOUNTANT W	hose opinion is contained in this I	Report*		
Rothstein, Kass & Company, P.C.				
	(Name if individual, state last, first, mid	ddle name)		
4 Becker Farm Road	Roseland	New Jersey	07068	
(Address)	(City)	(State)	(Zip Code)	
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OATH OR AFFIRMATION *

Ī.		James W. Santori , swear (or affirm) that, to the
bes	st of	my knowledge and belief the accompanying financial statement and supporting schedules pertaining to the firm of
		OTR Global Trading LLC , as of
		December 31 ,2009, are true and correct. I further swear (or affirm) that neither the company
noi	r any	partner, proprietor, principal officer or director has any proprietary interest in any account classified solely as that of
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		Qualified in Westchester County
		My Commission Expires June 28, 2012
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		Statement of Income (Loss).
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X	(e)	Statement of Changes in Stockholders' Equity or Partners' or Sole Proprietor's Capital.
	(f)	Statement of Changes in Liabilities Subordinated to Claims of Creditors.
X	(g)	Computation of Net Capital.
	(h)	Computation for Determination of Reserve Requirements Pursuant to Rule 15c3-3.
	(i)	Information Relating to the Possession or control Requirements Under Rule 15c3-3.
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<u></u>	0)	Computation for Determination of the Reserve Requirements Under Exhibit A of Rule 15c3-3.
П	(V)	A Reconciliation between the audited and unaudited Statements of Financial Condition with respect to methods of con-
Ц	(A)	solidation.
Ŕ	Ó	An Oath or Affirmation.
X		A copy of the SIPC Supplemental Report.
Ħ		A report describing any material inadequacies found to exist or found to have existed since the date of the previous audit.
		Independent auditor's report on internal accounting control.
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Ш	(p)	pursuant to Rule 171-5.

^{**}For conditions of confidential treatment of certain portions of this filing, see section 240.17a-5(e)(3).

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INDEPENDENT ACCOUNTANTS' REPORT ON APPLYING AGREED-UPON PROCEDURES RELATED TO THE SIPC ASSESSMENT RECONCILIATION REQUIRED BY SEC RULE 17a-5

To the Member of OTR Global Trading LLC

Rothstein Kass

In accordance with Rule 17a-5(e)(4) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, we have performed the procedures enumerated below with respect to the accompanying Schedule of Assessment and Payments (Form SIPC-7T) to the Securities Investor Protection Corporation (SIPC) for the nine month period from April 1, 2009 through December 31, 2009, which were agreed to by OTR Global Trading LLC (the "Company") and the Securities and Exchange Commission, Financial Industry Regulatory Authority, Inc., SIPC, solely to assist you and the other specified parties in evaluating the Company's compliance with the applicable instructions of the Transitional Assessment Reconciliation (Form SIPC-7T). The Company's management is responsible for the Company's compliance with those requirements. This agreed-upon procedures engagement was conducted in accordance with attestation standards established by the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants. The sufficiency of these procedures is solely the responsibility of those parties specified in this report. Consequently, we make no representation regarding the sufficiency of the procedures described below either for the purpose for which this report has been requested or for any other purpose. The procedures we performed and our findings are as follows:

- 1. Compared the listed assessment payments in Form SIPC-7T with respective cash disbursement records noting no differences;
- 2. Compared the amounts reported on the audited Form X-17A-5 for the nine month period from April 1, 2009 through December 31, 2009 with the amounts reported in Form SIPC-7T for the nine month period from April 1, 2009 through December 31, 2009 noting no differences;
- 3. Compared any adjustments reported in Form SIPC-7T with supporting schedules and working papers noting no differences;
- 4. Proved the arithmetical accuracy of the calculations reflected in Form SIPC-7T and in the related schedules and working papers supporting the adjustments noting no differences.

We were not engaged to, and did not conduct an examination, the objective of which would be the expression of an opinion on the Company's compliance with the applicable instructions of the Transitional Assessment Reconciliation (Form SIPC-7T). Accordingly, we do not express such an opinion. Had we performed additional procedures, other matters might have come to our attention that would have been reported to you.

This report is intended solely for the information and use of the specified parties listed above and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than these specified parties.

Rottstein, Kass x Company, P.C.

Roseland, New Jersey February 22, 2010

SCHEDULE OF SECURITIES INVESTOR PROTECTION CORPORATION ASSESSMENTS AND PAYMENTS

For the Nine Month Period From April 1, 2009 Through December 31, 2009	
SIPC Net Operating Revenues Per General Assessment	
Reconciliation Form SIPC-7T	\$ 19,636,077
General Assessments at .0025	\$ 49,090
Payment Remitted with Form SIPC-4	(150)
Payment Remitted with Form SIPC-6	 (17,306)
Amount Due with Form SIPC-7T	\$ 31,634

STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL CONDITION AND INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT DECEMBER 31, 2009

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INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

To the Member of OTR Global Trading LLC

We have audited the accompanying statement of financial condition of OTR Global Trading LLC (the "Company") as of December 31, 2009. This statement of financial condition is the responsibility of the Company's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on this statement of financial condition based on our audit.

We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the statement of financial condition is free of material misstatement. An audit includes consideration of internal control over financial reporting as a basis for designing audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Company's internal control over financial reporting. Accordingly, we express no such opinion. An audit also includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the statement of financial condition, assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall statement of financial condition presentation. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion.

In our opinion, the statement of financial condition referred to above presents fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of OTR Global Trading LLC as of December 31, 2009, in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Roseland, New Jersey February 22, 2010



Rothstein, Kass x Company, P.C.

STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL CONDITION

December 31, 2009		
ASSETS		
Cash	\$ 17,21	18
Due from clearing broker	4,690,47	18
Commissions receivable	405,43	39
Prepaid expenses and other assets	107,83	30
	\$ 5,220,90	05
LIABILITIES AND MEMBER'S EQUITY		
Liabilities Due to brokers Accrued expenses and other liabilities Due to affiliated entities Total liabilities	\$ 161,23 332,76 573,73 1,067,73	61 38
Member's equity	4,153,1	<u>73</u>
	\$ 5,220,9	05

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

1. Nature of business and summary of significant accounting policies

Nature of Business

OTR Global Trading LLC (the "Company") is a Delaware Limited Liability Company formed on September 15, 2005. As of January 1, 2009 ownership of the Company was transferred from OTR Global LLC to OTR Global Holdings LLC. On December 1, 2009 ownership was transferred from OTR Global Holdings LLC to OTR Global Holdings, II Inc ("the Parent").

The Company is a broker-dealer registered with the Securities and Exchange Commission ("SEC") and is a member of the Financial Industry Regulatory Authority ("FINRA"). The Company was established to provide agency, principal and riskless principal executions to institutional customers as well as to provide an independent equity research product prepared by an affiliated entity to institutional customers in exchange for portfolio commissions.

Basis of Presentation

The financial statements have been prepared in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America ("GAAP").

These financial statements were approved by management and available for issuance on February 22, 2010. Subsequent events have been evaluated through this date.

Commission Revenue and Expense Recognition from Securities Transactions

Commissions from clients and the related revenues and expenses are recorded on a trade-date basis.

Commissions Receivable

The Company carries its commission's receivable at cost. Commissions receivable at December 31, 2009 were approximately \$405,000. On a periodic basis, the Company evaluates its receivable and establishes an allowance for doubtful accounts, based on a history of past write-offs and collections and current credit conditions. There was no allowance for doubtful accounts at December 31, 2009.

Due to Brokers

Due to brokers consists of brokerage and clearing fees due to various brokerage houses.

Income taxes

The Company has elected to be treated as a limited liability company under the applicable provisions of income tax laws. The Company is a single member limited liability company and, accordingly, no income taxes are incurred by the Company as all earnings and losses flow directly to the Parent. In accordance with GAAP, the Company is required to determine whether a tax position is more likely than not to be sustained upon examination by the applicable taxing authority, including resolution of any related appeals or litigation processes, based on the technical merits of the position. The Company files an income tax return in the U.S. federal jurisdiction, and may file income tax returns in various U.S. state and local jurisdictions]. Generally the Company is no longer subject to income tax examinations by major taxing authorities for years before 2006. The tax benefit recognized is measured as the largest amount of benefit that has a greater than fifty percent likelihood of being realized upon ultimate settlement. De-recognition of a tax benefit previously recognized results in the Company recording a tax liability that reduces net assets.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENT

1. Nature of business and summary of significant accounting policies (continued)

Income taxes (continued)

This policy has been applied to all existing tax positions upon the Company's initial adoption for the year ended December 31, 2009. Based on its analysis, the Company has determined that the adoption of this policy did not have a material impact on the Company's financial statements upon adoption. However, the Company's conclusions regarding this policy may be subject to review and adjustment at a later date based on factors including, but not limited to, on-going analyses of and changes to tax laws, regulations and interpretations thereof. The Company recognizes interest accrued related to unrecognized tax benefits and penalties related to unrecognized tax benefits in income tax fees payable, if assessed. No interest expense or penalties have been recognized as of and for the year ended December 31, 2009.

Use of Estimates

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the reported amounts of revenues and expenses during the reporting period. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

2. Related party transactions

Pursuant to an intercompany service agreement commencing in May 2006, the Company incurs a monthly management fee of \$25,000 payable to an affiliated company, OTA Management LLC for operational, accounting, technological, legal and compliance services. Management fee expense for the year ended December 31, 2009 was \$300,000.

On January 1, 2009 the Company entered into a licensing agreement with an affiliated company, OTR Global LLC. OTR Global LLC is a registered investment adviser which owns the copyrights to independent investment research. The Company provides the investment research owned by OTR Global LLC to its clients. The research fee expense for the year ended December 31, 2009 was approximately \$14,151,000 and approximately \$564,000 of this was included in due to affiliated entities at year end.

3. Net capital requirement

The Company is a member of FINRA, and is subject to the SEC Uniform Net Capital Rule 15c3-1. This rule requires the maintenance of minimum net capital and that the ratio of aggregate indebtedness to net capital, both as defined, shall not exceed 15 to 1 and that equity capital may not be withdrawn if the resulting net capital ratio would exceed 10 to 1. At December 31, 2009, the Company's net capital was approximately \$3,799,000 which was approximately \$3,699,000 in excess of its minimum requirement of \$100,000.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENT

4. Exemption from Rule 15c3-3

The Company is exempt from the Securities and Exchange Commission Rule 15c3-3 pursuant to the exemptive provision under subparagraph (k)(2)(ii) as all customer transactions are cleared through another broker-dealer on a fully disclosed basis.

5. Concentration of credit risk

The Company maintains its cash balances in one financial institution. The balance at times may exceed the amounts insured by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation up to \$250,000 for institutions through December 31, 2013. Management does not anticipate any losses as a result of this concentration.

6. Off-balance sheet risk

Pursuant to a clearance agreement, the Company introduces all of its securities transactions to a clearing broker on a fully-disclosed basis. Although virtually all of the institutional customer activity is cleared on a Deliver versus Payment and Receive versus Payment ("DVP/RVP") basis, money balances and long and short security positions, predominantly for employee or affiliated accounts, may be carried on the books of the clearing broker. In accordance with the clearance agreement, the Company has agreed to indemnify the clearing broker for losses, if any, which the clearing broker may sustain from carrying securities transactions introduced by the Company. In accordance with industry practice and regulatory requirements, the Company and the clearing broker monitor collateral on the customers' accounts.

7. Subsequent events

On January 20, 2010 the Company received a contribution from its parent, OTR Global Holdings II, Inc. in the amount of \$2,000,000.